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## Request for Filing a Divisional Patent Application Under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and 1.78(a)

This is a request for filing a Divisional application, under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and 1.78(a), of pending prior application:

Serial No.: 09/680,984

Filed: 10/5/2000

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Title: System Architecture of Semiconductor Manufacturing Equipment

- 1. Enclosed is a Divisional application, including:
  - (a) Specification and claims (16 pages, size A4).
  - (b) Drawings, formal (2 sheets, size 8.5 x 11 inch, Figures 1A–2).
- 2. Enclosed is a copy of the latest executed Inventor's Declaration and Power of Attorney filed in the prior application showing the original signatures dated 10/3/00 (3 pages).
- 3. The inventors in this application are the same as the inventors named in the prior application.
- 4. The prior application is assigned of record to: Applied Materials, Inc. as recorded on 10/05/2000, reel 011217, frame 0507.
- 5. The entire disclosure of the prior application is considered to be part of the disclosure of the present Divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference into the present application.

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- 8. Please enter the enclosed **Preliminary Amendment** before determining the filing fee.
- 9. Filing Fee Calculation:

	Number Filed		Number Extra	Rate per claim	Fee
Total claims	16	-20	= 0	x \$18	= \$ 0
Independent claims	3	-3	= 0	x \$84	= \$ 0
Basic Filing Fo	\$ 750				
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10. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$750.00 for the total filing fee required under 37 CFR 1.16.

Respectfully submitted,

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